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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 7, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.